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**RESPONSE TO ELECTION/RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

SIR:

This is in response to the Office Action dated October 15, 2004 setting a shortened statutory period for response expiring November 15, 2004.

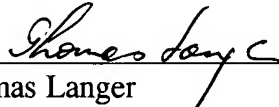
In response to the Examiner's election of species requirement, election is hereby made of subspecies 1A as shown in Figs. 1-7, and subspecies 2A directed to irradiating the image once.

The claims which read on the elected subspecies 1A and subspecies 2A are claims 1-18, 22-25 and 31.

Prosecution on the merits is now respectfully solicited.

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